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**U.S. District Court
Southern District of Illinois (East St. Louis)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 3:06-cv-01023-MJR-PMF
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Williamson v. Merck & Co Inc et al
Assigned to: Judge Michael J. Reagan
Referred to: Mag Judge Philip M. Frazier
Case in other court: Madison County Circuit Court, 06-L-952
Cause: 28:1332 Diversity-Product Liability

Date Filed: 12/14/2006
Date Terminated: 06/22/2007
Jury Demand: Defendant
Nature of Suit: 365 Personal Inj. Prod. Liability
Jurisdiction: Diversity

Plaintiff

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
12/14/2006	<u>1</u>	Case Opened. Filing fee paid \$ 350.00, Receipt Number 300 115872. Documents may now be electronically filed. Case number 06-1023-MJR must be placed on all documents prior to filing them electronically. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice & Consent to Trial by US Magistrate Judge) (tkm) (Entered: 12/14/2006)
12/18/2006	<u>2</u>	NOTICE OF REMOVAL by Merck & Co Inc from Madison County, case number 06-L-952. (Filing fee \$ 350) (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet # <u>2</u> Civil Cover Sheet Attachment to Civil Cover Sheet# <u>3</u> Exhibit 1-A to Removal# <u>4</u> Exhibit 1-B to Removal# <u>5</u> Exhibit 2 to Removal# <u>6</u> Exhibit 3 to Removal# <u>7</u> Exhibit 4 to Removal)(Soriano, Randy) (Entered: 12/18/2006)
12/18/2006	<u>3</u>	ANSWER to Complaint with Jury Demand by Merck & Co Inc.(Soriano, Randy) (Entered: 12/18/2006)
12/18/2006	<u>4</u>	MOTION to Stay by Merck & Co Inc. (Soriano, Randy) (Entered: 12/18/2006)
12/18/2006	<u>5</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Stephen G. Strauss on behalf of Merck & Co Inc (Strauss, Stephen) (Entered: 12/18/2006)
12/18/2006	<u>6</u>	CONSENT to Removal byPfizer Inc. (Shultz, Robert) (Entered: 12/18/2006)

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12/18/2006	7	ANSWER to Complaint with Jury Demand by Pfizer Inc.(Shultz, Robert) (Entered: 12/18/2006)
12/18/2006	8	Corporate Disclosure Statement by Pfizer Inc. (Shultz, Robert) (Entered: 12/18/2006)
12/20/2006	9	Summons issued as to Edwardsville Health Care Center Investors, L.L.C.. (lmb) (Entered: 12/20/2006)
12/28/2006	10	RESPONSE in Opposition re 4 MOTION to Stay filed by Wilburn Williamson. (Dickey, Aaron) (Entered: 12/28/2006)
01/04/2007		(Court only) ***Motion No Longer Referred to Judge Frazier: 4 MOTION to Stay (kls) (Entered: 01/04/2007)
01/05/2007	11	REPLY to Response to Motion re 4 MOTION to Stay filed by Merck & Co Inc. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1# 2 Exhibit 2# 3 Exhibit 3# 4 Exhibit 4)(Strauss, Stephen) (Entered: 01/05/2007)
01/22/2007	12	MOTION to Remand to State Court by Wilburn Williamson. (Dickey, Aaron) (Entered: 01/22/2007)
01/22/2007	13	MEMORANDUM in Support re 12 MOTION to Remand to State Court filed by Wilburn Williamson. (Dickey, Aaron) (Entered: 01/22/2007)
02/19/2007	14	MEMORANDUM in Opposition re 12 MOTION to Remand to State Court filed by Merck & Co Inc. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A# 2 Exhibit B)(Strauss, Stephen) (Entered: 02/19/2007)
04/19/2007	15	Alias Summons issued as to Edwardsville Health Care Center Investors, L.L.C. (lmb) (Entered: 04/19/2007)
05/30/2007	16	MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer by Edwardsville Health Care Center Investors, L.L.C.. (Hoerner, Kevin) (Entered: 05/30/2007)
05/30/2007	17	NOTICE of Appearance by Kevin T. Hoerner on behalf of Edwardsville Health Care Center Investors, L.L.C. (Hoerner, Kevin) (Entered: 05/30/2007)
06/04/2007	18	ORDER GRANTING 16 defendant Edwardsville Health Care Center Investors, L.L.C.'s MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer to plaintiff's Complaint. Edwardsville Health Care Center Investors, L.L.C.'s answer due 6/19/2007.Action due by 6/19/2007. Signed by Judge Philip M. Frazier on 6/4/07. (mta) (Entered: 06/04/2007)
06/19/2007		(Court only) ***Staff notes: Per 6/15/07 correspondence to Judge Reagan (rcvd in chambers 6/19/07), this case has been transferred as part of MDL-1699, In Re Bextra and Celebrex Marketing Products Liability Litigation. (soh) (Entered: 06/19/2007)
06/19/2007	19	ANSWER to Complaint with Jury Demand and Affirmative Defenses by Edwardsville Health Care Center Investors, L.L.C..(Hoerner, Kevin) (Entered: 06/19/2007)

06/22/2007	20	ORDER TRANSFERRING CASE (MDL-1657 & MDL-1699): Case transferred to USDC, Northern District of CA. (Attachments: # 1 Cover Letter)(lmb) (Entered: 06/28/2007)
06/28/2007	21	Transfer letter to Northern District of California (lmb) (Entered: 06/28/2007)